

SELECT BOARD ZOOM MINUTES AUGUST 31, 2020

Present: Robert Allen, Thomas Fuschetto, Barry Corriveau & Jacqui Fay

Roll Call: Jake LaBrequé, Judi Bob Boivin, Tom Willey & Kevin Fay.

Quorum declared.

Jake LaBrequé asked for an update regarding the ATV proposal. The Select Board explained that all the input had been copied to the ATV club who want to go ahead with a public hearing. The date and venue for this will not be set until the CDC lifts its minimum of 6 feet apart recommendation resulting from the COVID pandemic.

Judi and Bob Boivin discussed the response from Mr. Malay to the Select Board's request for reconsideration of the denial to use the school for a public hearing to consider the application the Planning Board has received to build a telecommunications tower. Mr. Parisi has been informed of the denial and the Planning Board is waiting for a response from him. Mr. Malay indicated in his email that reconsideration may be given provided all the school's protocols were followed and costs covered. Select Board will respond and affirm as previously stated in the application and in their request for reconsideration that these will be covered. Tom Willey asked about the process for the pet vendor application that he and his wife have sent to the Planning Board. Judi Boivin explained the process.

7:30 -8:15 Q/A session hosted by John Snowdon on Westmoreland's experience in implementing Broadband. John Snowdon is the chair of the Westmoreland Broadband Committee and explained how it had been a 3-year process to bring Broadband to his town. John stressed the importance of timing and how applications to the bond bank are only considered in July and January. There would need to be 2 public benefit meetings prior to a hearing. Several questions were asked by members of the Select Board and answered by John Snowdon.

Reviewed email dated 8/28 from Todd Horner requesting comments on draft Monadnock Broadband Implementation Guide. Tom Willey will be responding.

The Marlow Broadband Advisory Committee are also sending out a survey to all residents.

Discussed and approved draft RFI attached to Tom Willey's email dated 8/28 to be sent out to Consolidated Communications and First Light.

Reviewed and signed check manifest for \$5,993.

Reviewed deposit for \$1,832.34

Kevin Fay called in to provide a report on unlicensed dogs, all notices have been served and for the three that remain unlicensed he will start court proceedings. Kevin also discussed the need for a parking ordinance, Sand Pond being a particular problem. Kevin advised the board that there has been an upturn in speeding violations particularly by Marlow residents and he is in the process of writing a grant for electronic speed signs.

Reviewed email dated 8/26 from CNP advising us to seek an MS-1 Extension to 11/15 due to a delay in completion of the revaluation due to COVID 19. Extension has been applied for and approved.

Reviewed copy of correspondence between Legal Inquiries, NHMA and Judi Boivin.



Tom Fuschetto briefed board on his discussion with David Vincent, the owner of Map 203-057 who would like to donate the property to the Town. Will investigate past property donations to see what the procedure is.

Discussed email dated 8/27 received from Dan Reed regarding the ATV proposal. Will hold a hearing when the CDC no longer recommends maintaining 6 feet apart as part of its COVID precautions.

Reviewed Training folder.

Reviewed drought update received from Stacey Herbold, will continue to monitor.

Reviewed email dated August 27 from Judi Boivin attaching a pet vendor application for the Planning Board to review.

Judi Boivin asked when it would be possible to resume in person Planning Board meetings. Advised that we are working on a plan to reopen the Town buildings to the public but for the foreseeable future Zoom meetings should continue as the minimum 6 feet apart recommendation limits public participation.

Discussed Transfer Station staffing and posting for vacant Highway position. David Brown will be helping at the Transfer Station until the end of the year.

Signed Treasurer's June and July Bank reconciliations.

Received a letter dated August 19 from SWRPC ref NH 2023-2032 Ten Year Plan for transportation Improvement Projects. No action to be taken.

Received a letter from Sarah and Benjamin Jarrell. Will review and discuss later.

Select Board have completed Recreational Use survey.

Select Board updated on Food Pantry meeting.

Reviewed email dated August 24 from Health Trust regarding return of surplus.

Reviewed email dated August 24 from Marilee LaFond on finding funds for local bridges.

Reviewed Trustee of the Trust Fund minutes.

Reviewed and signed minutes for August 8, 10 & 24.

Reviewed oil bids and voted to accept a pre-buy bid of \$1.549 per gallon from Discount Oil.

Signed letter regarding the removal of Map 202 Lot 021 from Recreational Use.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30pm.

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